Mix 8 pounds salt, two pounds sugar and 2 ounces saltpeter for each one hur dred pounds of meat. D vide into two portions. Rul meat with one-half of mixture and put in box or bar rel. Break pack the third day and repeat treatment Keep meat in cure 2 to 21 days per pound. (A 10-1) cut should remain 20 to 25 days, etc.) Take up and wash with warm water. Hang and allow to drain for several hours. Smok with hardwood smoke unt desired color is obtained Wrap and store meat in a tight barrel or box to protect from skippers.

Stew Beef. Stephenson's

Osborn Lubert, AOM 3-c U. S. Navy, visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. Morrow, and other relatives here last week. He left Thursday for Norfolk, Va., to resume his

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR CONGRESS

To the People of the Third Congressional District of Ala

I hereby announce my cand dacy for the Democratic nomination for Representative in th from the Third Congressional District of Alabama, to fill the remainder of the unexpired term of Honorable Henry B. Steagall, de ceased, in the 78th session of the KERP ON Congress, subject to the action of on January 11, 1944, and Febru ary 8, 1944.

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'Old Masters.'

crisis and their records are being hung in a series of war exhibits

all the time." She was enthusiastic over a canvas by Edward Borden, penetrate the side or deck of all them together.

## **Notice Motorists**

For this cold weather you need ANTI-FREEZE in your radiator for protection of your motor. you are having trouble with your battery try our "SURE-START." It will build up your battery and give you quicker starting.

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A new shipment of Grade 1 Passenger Car Tires just came in. Our stock is complete in 16, 17 and 18 Inch Sizes. If you have a Certificate come in at once while you can get the size you want.

### SEAT COVERS—FLOOR MATS

We still have Felt-back Rubber Floor Mats for almost any model car. The supply is very limited. Also have a very good stock of Seat Covers. Nothing will give you more pleasure and at the same time save your upholstery.

## **Dorsey Brothers**

Elba, Alabama

## Fans of British Kinds of Bombs

And Get Meat Pies With

LONDON.—The war is making art vers out of Britons. That London landmark, the Na- make an air force. ture seekers tiptoed reverently a bomb for every purpose, from a among old masters, woke up the 100-pounder, which can wreck a loother day to find itself as popular comotive, to one weighing 42 times as a zoo on Sunday. And almost as as much, capable of laying waste a formal—today one can get a meat city block.

look at pictures," explained Wilm Gibson, keeper of the gallery. bombing mission it is necessary to "For the first time in history we're having to turn a crowd away." decide not only the weight of bombs carried but the sizes of the individu-Stripped of every masterpiece in al bombs and the types of fuses and ts permanent collection—they've bomb cases which will give the maxgone underground for the duration— imum effect against the target, ac- On the beaches of Italy, in the grapes which will leave 40 the gallery went dead for a month during the blitz. Then it came to of "Flying."

On the beaches of Italy, in the grapes which will leave 40 jungles of the Pacific—planes, tanks, to 80 of the buds of the preartillery must move—and fast: no views season's growth displacement.

War Scenes Interest. who never jammed museums are cent explosive. f Britain have come down from explosive. getting themselves torpedoed, im- plosive. painting industriously in every such explosive.

month one of its old masters,

n airdrome scene. of 19th century French masters. People had to be turned away. Among ple had to be turned away. Among hem were American soldiers, who romptly went to Rainbow Corner, For knocking out U-boats two

Piccadilly Red Cross center, and asked for names of other places 325-pound Mark 17 and the 650where they could see French paint- pound Mark 29, containing about 75 "Many of the people who come hydrostatic fuse. here today have only a room left in- Fragmentation bombs are used stead of a home," Keeper Gibson against ground forces and light masaid. "Also art gives them a differterial—trucks, airplanes and en-

ent rhythm from war, and that's campments. They break into 1,000 Some of the people now thronging | tenths of an ounce each, with velocithe gallery come in just to rest their ties up to 4,000 feet per second. Such eet or munch a sandwich. But no- fragments, bursting at 200 feet, will ody minds. It's become that kind penetrate a wing or gas tank, cut fiplace. Others, drawn by the weekunchtime concerts organized by radiators and intercoolers. Ground Myra Hess, stay on to look at pic- crews need 25 to 30 hours to repair tures. The canteen run for war planes damaged by fragments disworkers has also boosted art.

Beats York's Record With A fin-type fragmentation bomb Two Hundred Prisoners

NEW YORK.—Yank, the official doughboy weekly, describes how Pvt.

Harry Bifone of Steubenville, Ohio, went Serret Alvin York's record. went Sergt, Alvin York's record a smoke screens and incendiary

Sergt. Ralph G. Martin, writing in Yank, reports that Bifone, who speaks Italian, came upon two Italian soldiers after a brief battle on 4,968 Miles of Railroads the road to Trapani. They followed MOSCOW.—I. D. Gochiridge, Soim docilely to another hole where viet vice commissar of transport, Bifone acquired 30 more prisoners.
Right behind the 30 came another
50. Bifone started down the hill with
his 82 prisoners, and by the time
lines in reoccupied Russian territory he reached the bottom had more since March.

The Yank correspondent comments that while Sergt. York in the first World war got only 132 prisoners, he had to capture two German ers, he had to capture two German already are in operation. machine-gun nests before the Huns surrendered. Bifone, on the other hand, didn't even ask some of these Italians to put their hands up—they just came!

In addition to the old lines, the Red army also has constructed several short, strategic railroads in the front fighting zones.

Women War Workers Are Found as Good as Men NEW YORK.—Women war workers are as good or better producers craft worker, has the distinction of ers are as good or better producers than men in the majority of war plants, the National Industrial Conference board announced. Four of the 146 plants studied by the board reported that women were better producers. Approximately 60 per cent said they were as good as men. Others said that women were as good as men in many mechanical jobs.

Crowd National Gallery For Every Purpose Special Weapon Is Employed By Air Forces.

NEW YORK.—It takes all kinds of bombs—as well as planes—to onal Gallery, where peacetime cul-

The AAF uses three kinds of "The war has made people want bombs in combat—demolition, frag-

cent explosive. While butchers, bakers and others SAP-Semi-armor piercing, 32 per

now thronging the place, the artists AP-Armor-plercing, 5-12 per cent their ivory towers and are busy LC-Light case, 77 per cent e prisoned and shipwrecked. They are DB-Depth bomb, 70-75 per cent

The GP bomb is so strong it can which are helping make the gallery be dropped without rupturing from an altitude of 8,000 feet against a Stains come out more easthese cut back each year. last Friday. Rob Bourd of Stains come out more easthese cut back each year. last Friday. Rob Bourd of Stains come out more easthese cut back each year. Stains c tanker looks like," a wispy little Cockney woman said. "My Jack has been on three of them." And she pointed to the picture of a twisted hunk of steel by Sir Muirhead Bone, distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate the decks of all but distinguished rainter and penetrate four feet index, with a bomb ded daily. Clean dishes are distinguished rainter a soil
ed daily. Clean dishes are dishes are dishes are dishes are no longer clean after a soil
ed dish towels are wash. They should be decked and penetrate the contract and penetrate the decks of all but them. distinguished painter now employed cruisers and battleships. The largby the admiralty to record the war est GP-2,000 pounds-can sink or

dreamy artist who was interned in | naval craft except battle cruisers and sablanca, rescued by the Ameri- battleships. SAP bombs range in cans and then shipwrecked, all in weight from 699 to 1,600 pounds. The biggest AAF bomb of all is A WAAF in the gallery said she'd the LC blockbuster-4,200 pounds of ome to see a painting by Dame | bomb containing 3,362 pounds of ex-Laura Knight of WAAF mending a plosive, equipped with an instantaarrage balloon. On the same wall neous fuse so that its terrific blast were portraits of RAF pilots, army | will occur before the bomb case rup-(Paid Political Adv. by Roy L. | Land Posted Signs 5 cents | sergeants and women factory work- | tures. The LC was designed for a ers painted by Britain's most bril- target which provides its own "tamping"-e.g., a congested city

In view of the interesting war scenes, the gallery was rather nervite explosive within the target, with ous when it decided to show each no holes through which its energy brought in from its country un- GP, SAP and AP bombs are made derground shelter. But just as many to explode only after penetration of people paused before a Velasquez | a building, the ground, a ship, or or a Rembrandt as stopped to view an airdrome scene. Then the gallery put on an exhibit caused by a well-tamped explosive

Destructive Type. per cent explosive filler and a navy

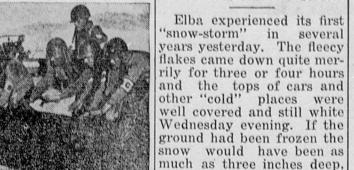
to 1,500 pieces weighing about threecharged from a distance of 90 feet or less from the plane.

few better when he rounded up more than 200 Italian prisoners in Sicily 2,000 small incendiary bombs which weigh about four pounds each.

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than 200 Italians traipsing along betant lines, such as the Moscow-Be

> War Worker Is Given Pay Check for 37 Cents



out most of it melted as it ell. It was the first snow that many of our youngsters ever saw. EARLY WINTER MONTHS TIME TO PRUNE GRAPES

used in pruning bunch! during the blitz. Then it came to of "Flying."

Demolition bombs alone have five the old masters, is now a No. 1 West the old masters, is now a No. 1 West End attraction.

End attraction.

Then it came to of "Flying."

Demolition bombs alone have five waiting to build roads or airfields. That's when our soldiers must unpoints out Lyde Brown available.

> varieties. Regular dinners. Stephen-Mr. Lewis Brooks, of Port lisses, scuppernongs should

juicy. Stephenson's Cafe. Leaf fat and fat trimseriously damage a battleship with mings make the best lard; strained, stir occasionally crystals in stored clothing, "Since then," she said, "I've sort of got to like pictures. I come in as 35 feet when exploded in the waa finer texture.

ELBA HAS HEAVY SNOW

I have moved to the Pool Room, and can take your or-During the early winter der for any kind of Shoes, s the best time to prune \$2.50 and up. If you want bunch grapes and scupper- GOOD Shoes, let me order ongs. A system should be them for you.

GP-General purpose, 50-55 per roll these "steel mattresses," as you points out Lyle Brown, ex- ley and sons, Billy, Charles see them in this photo. Your War Bonds pay for them.

| Description of the content of the conten the more vigorous growing ley's sister, Mrs. Bert Lash-varieties. The scuppernong re- a few days last week. Mr. requires less pruning than Cawley is manager of a picthe bunch grape. If on trel-ture show at Fairfax, Ala.

St. Joe, Fla., spent the week- be pruned to six to eight Mrs. William Bullard and end in Elba with relatives. permanent arms along the sons, Lamar and Bobby, wires and the laterals from were isitors to Montgomery Stains come out more eas- these cut back each year. last Friday. Rob Bob (col.)

Fish served every day.

Hamburgers, nice and Stephenson's Cafe. Now is a good time to After home-made lard is sprinkle additional moth

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- ELBA, ALABAMA

VOLUME 47 BILLY MULLINS GETS SPECIAL NOTICE IN REGARD TO NEWS ITEMS GOOD CONDUCT MEDAL Beginning next week all S-Sgt. William H. Mullins news items of every charac- Army Service Forces, sta-

ter MUST reach The Clipper tioned at Camp Rucker, was office by Tuesday night in recently awarded the good order to insure prompt pub- conduct medal, a merit rec lication. Heretofore we conition of enlisted men have been taking items up "who have demonstrated fito noon Wednesday, but we delity, through faithful and cannot do this now. Should exact performance of duty, anything important or sen- efficiency through capacity sational break after Tues- to produce desired results day night, we shall do our and whose behavior has been such as to deserve emulabest to cover it.

We do not have any help tion. He is the son of Mayor now, the editor and business and Mrs. L. P. Mullins. manager doing all the mechanical work and the office ELBIAN IS "GO GETTER" chores. The paper is truly a one man outfit, and there Presenting: Corporal Wil are no prospects for help. lard E. Martin, from Elba, Many items are being Alabama. Cpl. Martin was handed in and we appre- graduated from Elba High ciate this. We have a tele- School with the class of '42 phone, No. 29, and will be On December 7, 1942 glad to have you give us the Cpl. Martin enlisted in the names of your visitors. We Reserves. Then on April 9 will be glad to have local 1943, he was inducted inte and personal items over the the Armed Forces of the phone, but of course we can United States Army. not take long articles. Your completed his Basic Traincooperation will be highly ing in the First Regiment appreciated.

R. C. BRYAN, Ed., Etc. ABLE Battery, 677 Glider FA Bn, was pleased one P. S. We will take adver- hundred per cent to welcome tising just as late as we possibly can, not to interfere with the publication of thusiastic soldier. She knew what was cooking as she re-

cently promoted him to the COLORED WOMAN DIES grade of Corporal. Cordelia Hammond, well

everything, Cpl. W. E. Martin, "The Alabama Kid." P. S. "These Alabama known and highly respected Elba colored woman, died at her home here last Tuesday night, Dec. 14. She had been ill several months. MOVE TO NEW HOME Her husband, Robert Hammond, preceded her to the grave. She leaves several Vaughan moved last Thurssons and daughters. Fun- day to their new home or eral details were not avail- Buford street, formerly the ENGAGEMENT IS

The many friends of Mrs. Corrie Bryant who has been quite ill for several days at her home in West Elba, are glad to know that she is improving slowly and trust improving slowly and trust that she may soon be well she her home in the first she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she her home in the she may soon be well she held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. This announce the held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. The she held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday and trust in the she held at Liberty Methodist Church next Sunday afternoon. The annual Sacred Harp grand children.

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parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. ville, Tenn. Martin, while her husband is in military service. Moley J. Boutwell, ARM at Tallahassee, is spending

been on duty in the Pacific her parents, Mr. and Mrs. fered a broken collar bone Clark for the holidays. area, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. J. V. Wright. Corporal and Mrs. Leroy ville, is the guest of her par- may soon be fully recovered. Christmas season. Mathis announce the arrival ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L.

of an 8-pound daughter, English, for the Christmas born December 18. The season. little Miss has been named

Patsy Sue. Cpl. Mathis is Land Posted Signs 5 cents somewhere in Italy.

The approaching holiday season

makes us appreciate more than

ever before the priceless value

like yourself. It reminds us, too,

of the sacrifices being made by

many of our friends now in the

service of Uncle Sam. To you,

and to all these, go our thanks

for your patronage in 1943, and

our wishes for a joyous holiday.

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friends and customers,

Good luck, and the best o

Mr. and Mrs. Luthe

NO SERVICE WILL BE TEEL BIRTHDAY SING HELD AT LIBERTY

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Rainer

(Lois Martin) and baby, are son, A-S Lamar Rainer, who has been in training at Way- to spend the holidays with song books and lunch. making their home with her is now stationed in Nash-cross, Ga., is spending the her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. holidays in Elba with his F. Brunson.

**CUT MORE PULPWOOD** 

about two weeks ago, is reMiss Nell Rushing, student home from Montevallo to Station at Davisville, R. I., are spending the Christmas Miss Nell English, student at Peabody College, Nash-ville, is the guest of her par-ville, is the guest of her par-ville is at a Montgomery business spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Rhodes.

Station at Davisville, R. I., here spending the Christmas is spending a few days with heir parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kellev, of Victoria.

CHRISMAS DINNER

The ladies Club met with New recruits at the U. S. Mrs. J. A. Parker on Wed-Naval Training Station, at nesday, December 15, for Great Lakes, Illinois, include their annual Christmas din- four from Elba. They are ner. The morning was spent now receiving instruction in in preparing the dinner, seamanship, military drill, swapping jokes and discuss- and naval procedure. Soon ing Christmas shopping. At they will be given a series of the noon hour the dinner aptitude tests for determwas served buffet style and ining whether they will be

Reddock. Prayer by the Dock Holland, 31, husband Club. "Why The Bells of Mattie Holland; James Chimed," by Mrs J. W. Odom, 19, Rt. 5; and Albert Christmas Carols Woodrow Culver, 18 son of by the Club.

This being all the program we entered into a round- RAISED TO CORPORAL table discussion on how the our January meeting. Reporter. Windham, Elba, Ala., enlist-

### WYNN JACKSON

Mr. Wynn Jackson, age 66. resident of the Danley's Cross Reads community for

Surviving are his wife,

Friends of Mr. C. S. Lee London, Conn., at present. will regret to learn that he

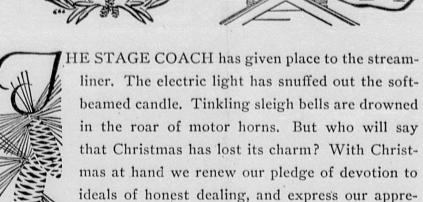


\* \* \* at its very best implies, and all that Christmas can bring . . . .

No boy shall die because we failed **DORSEY BROTHERS** 

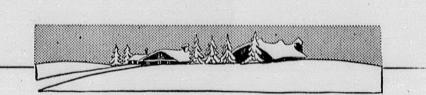
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ciation of your friendship for us during 1943. "HEAP ON MORE WOOD, THE WIND IS CHILL; BUT LET IT WHISTLE AS IT WILL

WE'LL KEEP OUR MERRY CHRISTMAS STILL!"



THE ELBA CLIPPER

W. J. White residence. They ANNOUNCED-

and an attack of pleurisy

Miss Catherine Brunson, Teel will celebrate his 81st neau-Jeter had charge of funeral arrangements. Mrs. Levi Thrower, Jr., were recent visitors to their Sgt. Clayton Taylor, who Lafayette, arrived last week friends to come and bring

1-c, U. S. Navy, who has the Christmas holidays with Claude Bouyer, who suf- parnts, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. season.

Miss Jule Bradley, student continues seriously ill at the Miss Mary Will Kendrick, wille, Tenn.

Miss Anne Wright, who attends Florida University of Alabama City.

In Blue With his at the mother, Mrs. J. O. Nevels, before going to a new assignment at Panama City.

Miss Jule Bradley, student at Alabama College, Monte-before going to a new assignment at Panama City.

Miss Jule Bradley, student at the Enterprise hospital, where he has been undergoing ents, Mr. and Mrs. Arden E. The attended of Huntingdon College, is at the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arden E. The attended of Huntingdon College, is at the continues seriously in at the continues seriously in at the before going to a new assignment at Panama City.

Miss Jule Bradley, student at the Christmas of the continues seriously in at the co Alabama, is the guest of her Bradley, for the Christmas an early recovery.

Miss Jean Rhodes is at has been at a Navy Training the University of Alabama,

Miss Jeannette Garrett,

child on Christmas morning But Christmas is more than these ... how much more we cannot put into words, but you do know that we are wishing for you all that Christmas

... the light in the eyes of a

every one seemed to enjoy assigned to one of the Nathis part of the day thor- vy's service schools, or to immediate active sea duty. In the afternoon the meet- Upon completing their reing was called to order by cruit training, these men will he president, Mrs. S. O. be home on a nine-day leave. Parker, and the following They are: Emme Junior program was given: "The Isler, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs tory of Christmas," by Miss E. M. Isler, Route 3; Rubbus

AT GREAT LAKES, ILL.

Mrs. Etta Culver, Rt. 3.

club could go to the Red Lt. Col. Hugh B. Dudley, Cross room and work one Commanding Officer, Hq. day a month. After the Station No. 10, Caribbean discussion the meeting ad- Wing, Air Transport Comjourned. There were only mand, Miami Beach, Flor-14 present, the smallest ida, has announced the pronumber we have ever had at motion of Private First Class our Christmas dinner. This William P. Windham to the was due to so many having grade of Corporal, effective October 23, 1943. We hope to have more at | Corporal Windham, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P.

### August 15, 1942. SCHOOLS CLOSE

ed in the Armed Forces on

the past eight years died at as those of the county were a Troy hospital on Decem- closing Wednesday for the ber 14, following a short Christmas holidays. Work illness of flu. He was born and reared in Tallapoosa day in practically all schools in the county.

Mrs. Rossie Jackson, two Pvt. Ethridge Twilley has

A. Kelley, of Victoria. Stephen Edwards Ham, teacher in the Birmingham stationed at the Pensacola schools, has arrived to spend Naval Station, visited home Christmas with her mother.



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| SUNDAY International SCHOOL \*LESSON \*

Lesson for December 26

HIS GIFT LESSON TEXT-Matthew 2:1-12.

GOD'S GREAT LOVE AND

Christmas brings us all back to

e are reminded anew of our Lord's ming into the world to be the Rem is the Christ of the cross, of "God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son" in what was the world's greatest love gift.

But the Word does not stop there.

We must do something about God's

he Christ-child in Bethlehem, and

Mr. Roy L. Smith, promient attorney of Phenix City nd former county attorney but have everlasting life" (John 3: or Russell County last week | 1 ormally entered the race or Capenagemen from this r Congressman from this been "born King of the Jews" reistrict. Mr. Smith repre- veals several attitudes toward Christ ented his county in the which find their counterpart in our

gislature for two terms and day. akes a prominent part in I. Expectancy (vv. 1, 2). ivic affairs of his commu-These men of another race were He has issued the familiar with the Jewish Scriptures and knew that the Messiah was to come. Many others, including the The People of The Third religious leaders of the Jews, had Congressional District the same information. But these they looked for "His coming with This District has lost one keen desire and expectancy. of the most able members of One wonders if we have not become so familiar with the story of f the Honorable Henry B. Christmas that we, like the Jews,

Steagall who served so ably have a dead knowledge without ex-

and so well for so many pectant faith. We need to awaken

years. His death could not have come at a more inoportune time because of the II. Fear (vv. 3, 7, 8, 12). nany problems which now Herod was a capable, ruthless, unonfront us due to the war godly ruler who feared only that someone would take his power from and the difficulty of filling his place in Congress with a should not happen, that he killed worthy successor in so short | many members of his own family

time. We need represen- for whom he otherwise had apparent tation in Congress to fill the affection. vacancy, as nearly as can be When he heard that Jesus, who was the real King of the Jews, had lone, as early as possible. I one, as early as possible. I been born, he feared, and laid crafty plans to destroy Him. God saw to it the action of the Demo- that his purpose was not carried out. atic primary on January | There are those of our time who 1, as a candidate for this fear the coming of Jesus, because they will not have Him to rule over The following matters are their lives. They love their selfish

primary importance and primary importance and ways, and their sinful pleasures; and when they face the question of equire immediate consider- what they will do with Jesus (and face it they must!), they have only First: That all of our ef- fear and hatred in their hearts. orts be directed toward III. Indifference (vv. 4-6). inging the war to a speedy When the Wise Men came to Jerusalem to inquire where the Christ Second: That Congress was to be born, they received an immediate answer—in Bethlehem. That was clearly foretold in Micah 5:2. The priests and scribes knew

rmer a fair return for his all about it, but their knowledge did abor and investment so that not move them to action. They told e can live and enjoy the the Magi where to go, but they did high standards of living to which he is entitled and to enable him to increase the production of food items to roduction of food items to that simply because they do not Third: That adequate provisions be made now for the successful conversion of war-time industries, to peace time production, as soon after the successful conversion of war-time industries, to peace time production, as soon after the successful conversion of war-time industries, to peace time production, as soon after the church, or the Bible, or do not fight against it, they are guilt-less. How wrong they are will appear to them if they will read Matthew 11:23, 24 and recall that the sin of Capernaum was only indifference. hate the church, or the Bible, or do

er the war as possible. Wake up, careless one, and change Fourth: That adequate your indifference to love and faith, provision be made for all lest you too be eternally lost. lisabled veterans and their IV. Joy (vv. 9, 10).

These earnest seekers for the Fifth: That Congress Christ-child were full of joy even guarantee and provide to before they saw Him. "When they saw the star," and knew that God was indeed leading them, their antil the necessary adjust- hearts leaped within them as "they nents are made in industry rejoiced with exceeding great joy. and agriculture and so as to Christmas is the time when there secure to them adequate peace-time employment.

Sixth: That provision be made to secure the winning of the peace at home and of the peace at home and Happiness depends on what hapabroad and to maintaining pens, but joy is the gift of God to our American way of life.

I pledge my entire efforts! in their beings that circumstances o carrying out this program. ROY L. SMITH. cannot change it. We may have real, satisfying Christmas joy. Paid pol. adv. by Roy L. V. Worship (v. 11). When they saw Christ, they worshiped. Have we been as wise as they were? Then they made gifts, showing that their worship had that reality which made them ready

Fish served every day. Stephenson's Cafe. to sacrifice for Him. Have we done CARD OF THANKS

mith, Phenix City, Ala.)

anything this Christmas to show our We express our thanks joy and gratitude for the redemption we have in Christ? and appreciation to our The writer of these lines (which many friends and neighbors will reach you just before Christfor the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father the joy of the Lord may fill your that regardless of circumstances the joy of the Lord may fill your the lord may fill your that regardless of circumstances the joy of the Lord may fill your the lord with the second of the lord may fill your the lord with the second of the lord may fill your the lord with the lord with

# Have You Paid-Up Your Subscription This Month?

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The War Production Board, which controls the supply of newsprint paper, has instructed all papers to drop names from the mailing list promptly ON THE DAY OF EXPIRATION. We are trying to comply with these regulations in order to keep a supply of paper on hand. It is also a violation of Postal Regulations to continue mailing papers which have not been paid for in advance.

In the past we have gone to considerable expense in mailing notices to all subscribers by letterfirst class mail. WE CANNOT CONTINUE THIS PRACTICE AND YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY NOTICE IN THE FUTURE.

## RENEW PROMPTLY!

THIS ADVERTISEMENT AND NOTICES IN THE PAPER. WHICH APPEAR FREQUENTLY, SHOULD BE SUFFICIENT FOR ALL THOSE WHO WISH TO CONTINUE RECEIVING THE PAPER. IF YOUR PAPER DOES NOT COME, YOU MAY KNOW THAT THE TIME IS OUT.

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# The Elba Clipper



War or peace, a brave new world is in the making - a world in which better opportunities will be had for all. The Spirit of Progress is on the march, and we may all look hopefully to the future. At this time it is fitting that we count our many friends and recall the happy relationships of 1943. We wish all of you the choicest blessings that Christmastime can bestow.

**ELBA INSURANCE AGENCY** 



One hundred and twenty years ago Clement Clarke Moore's jolly poem, "A Visit from St. Nicholas," first appeared. Each year since then it has contributed to the joy of Christmas. We want to say that if we were able to gather up all this joy and wrap it up in one big package it would hardly represent our wishes for your Christmas happiness this season of 1943.

**ELBA DRUG COMPANY** 



MERRY CHRISTMAS—And may peace and happiness be yours during this Holiday Seaon, is our wish for each of you.

Secret Weapon to Combat Air Raids

Defense of London May Set Anti-Aircraft Record.

LONDON.—The British army has disclosed the existence of a new Allied "secret weapon" in anti-aircraft fire, and in the London area at least Serena to take this trip against her though he were. He was forcing fire, and in the London area at least Serena to take this trip against her though he were. The letter was written and wood, Mo., But is look Nov. 12th, and was received on December 8th:

Dear Brother and All:

Well Coopers I got a how the large wood, Mo., But is look in the letter was written and wood, Mo., But is look novel to the letter was written and wood, any German adventures in the will. And he was going to force her Well George I got a box Hamburgers, nice and night sky will be very unprofitable."
said Brig. Basil J. Schonland, chief of the army's scientific research branch, during a recent inspection of the army's arecent inspection. by news men of London's anti-aircraft setup.

With it the British hope to approach the greatest anti-airproach the greatest anti-aircraft setup.

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The canoe in which they had been riding since early morning swung around a bend and Gilbert drove its proach the greatest anti-aircraft setup.

United States marines on Guadal- ble among the trees.

There are four big tables, each so tired that that straw mattress arrying a map divided into num- in there will feel more comfortable ered squares. The biggest table is than any innerspring you ever or "filtered information"—a combilay on. nation of RAF radar data and information from scores of observers time, now. We'll be prisoners here, along the coast and inland.

ed on a big map by small colored "It's cozy," she said at length and mas dinner and party given lights. A green light means the there was on her lips a faint smile. at the Library building i gun is on target; a red light that he gun is firing.

All Army Ground Forces forces undergoing combat training henceforth will "advance on the enemy" with live artillery fire falling just ahead of and flanking the advancing troops, according to an order issued by Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair, commanding general of army ground forces. Declaring that men cannot advance properly on an actual enemy

under protection of supporting artillery unless they have been accustomed to doing so in the training area, General McNair announce that instructions have gone out to 'use every means to simulate actual pattle conditions for troops." "Battlefield realism is the pr ing exercises are conducted for the urpose of simulating actual battle conditions. Co-ordination and con-trol should be that possible in battle. Reliance must not be placed upon artificial means which are introduce for reasons of safety and which will

not be present in battle." **Dutch Gunboat Compels** 

Land Gunners to Yield LONDON.-The Netherlands gunboat Sumba, covering the Allied landings on Sicily, pounded Italian shore batteries so effectively that the enemy artillerymen came for-

"Well done, Sumba," from one of things, her attempts to appear re- fessed the Allied naval chiefs directing operations.

signed to the long months ahead, her efforts to be cheerful and companions.

This the 6th day of December of the long months ahead, her efforts to be cheerful and companions. The gunboat Flores also distinionable, Gilbert would not yield to D9-30 guished herself in the campaign, as- the impulses which beset him. Her sisting in the destruction of a U- attitude, he knew, was all part of boat, among other actions. She re- the game with which she was so ceived a congratulatory signal from familiar. Once out of this wilderne Adm. Sir Andrew Browne Cunning- their life thereafter would be but a ham, Allied naval commander in repetition of what had gone on be-Both ships were in the force es- Gil fought against her. He fought corting the Sicily-bound convoy. It her with silence and reserve and included a large number of Nether- lack of appreciation for her willing land merchant ships acting as troop- ness to co-operate. He accepted the

Health Shows Strain of War in Great Britain when he was alone in the woods. LONDON.—The health of the av- and making it he knew a great sense erage Briton is holding up remarkably well despite the rigors of four years of war, Minister of Health Er- "we'll go—back." nest Brown said recently, but he And Gilbert went on: "I lied to warned that increases last year in you about being snowbound up here. venereal diseases and tuberculosis Less than five miles due south there venereal diseases and tuberculosis Less than ave made trans-"There can be no doubt that the portation there to the railroad. The nation's prodigious war effort has river which we followed in swings imposed a severe strain upon the in a great circle. We came that health of the people—a strain which they have withstood in general with dogged determination and astonishing the people and astonishing the people and astonishing the people and astonishing the people are the people as the peo ing success," Brown said in his annual report.

I can't go through with it—I still love you. If I didn't I'd never have brought you here."

All Jewish-Americans In Krakow Are Slain NEW YORK .- The official Polrmed here, through a London dispatch quoting the Polish un-

IRVIN JOHNSON WRITES Simple Life

son, of Florala, have receiv-learn that Charlie W. King when you have visitors. ed the following letter from has been promoted from Con his brother, Irvin L. Johnson poral to Technician. He with the armed forces in Af- still in training at Ft. Leonrica. The letter was written ard Wood, Mo., but is look

proach the greatest anti-aircraft fir- bow into a little sandy beach. There girl friend sent me a box ing in this war-60 shells per plane was a clearing beyond, and a grove about the same time and rought down, a record set by the of spruce and fir. A cabin was visi- was glad to get that also Thanks again for everything

canal.

The gun operations room of London's defenses is far underground, and is the nerve center of the entrance; a bunk at one end; two more than glad to get.

Gil flung open the door and motioned Serena inside. There was a fireplace directly opposite the entrance; a bunk at one end; two more than glad to get. tire system. From it information is roughly constructed tables and a half Tell your boys hello for sent out in a constant stream to ev- dozen chairs. A door to the left of me and to be sweet boys, ery gun emplacement in Greater the fireplace opened into a bedroom, and the exact position of every enemy plane is given at 30 kitchen. the fireplace opened into a bedroom, and I'll be thinking of them day in and day out. George everything looks good now everything looks good now "That's all there is," Gil said. everything looks good now From a high platform a single "It's quite a lot different from the and I hope it will keep up officer can see on a chart not only nine-room apartment we left back Wish I had time to write he position of each plane, but also there, isn't it?" He gestured vague- more but I have lots of writ which guns are "on target" and which are firing. He can silence every gun in an instant or step up the fire from any area.

Which guns are "on target" and ly toward the river. "Just the bare ing to do. Hope to write you again soon. Good luck and good by for this time.

Work with your hands till you're

Stew Beef. Stephenson's "Winter will set in in a week's ATTENDED DINNER for six months or longer. We-you'll The three others are for faster un- appreciate things like keeping warm Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Turman The three others are for faster unfiltered information direct from radown to sleep. It will be new and
down to sleep. It will be new and
Moody attended the Christ-

I rather like it—and the prospect Dothan last Tuesday night Gilbert Hynes sneered. To himself he said: "You little liar. You hate it. You hate me for bringing Grand time."

It is a special for employees of supplies of the 25th Sub Depot, Napier Field. They reported a grand time. Will Train Under Fire you here, even worse than you hated grand time. About seventy-WASHINGTON .- All army ground me back there because I couldn't five employees were present. give you more and more and more. You're selfish and insensible to the fine things of life, the things worth working for and having. Well, you're the birth of a daughter or going to learn."

about the cabin's door.

things she did matter-of-factly. But

most of all he fought against his love

Gil made his decision one day

"Gil!" She placed a hand on his

have stayed here if I didn't love you,

too. I—I wanted you to know that—back there I thought you wanted me

to live that way, to keep up appear

ances. I-I've loved it here, having

Five days later it began to snow. Monday at a Troy hospital. The storm lasted almost a week. Great drifts were piled about NOTICE OF MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS the cabin. Gilbert tunneled a passageway through the piled-up snow

the stockholders of the Elba Exchange Bank, Elba, Alabama, for the election of irectors and the transactic of the bank on Saturday, Janury 15, 1944, between the hours of six and nine o'clock, P. M.

T. B. BRYAN, d23-j13

ORDER OF PUBLICATION Minnie Mae Leddon, Respondent. In the Circuit Court of Coffee

County, Alabama, In Equity, Gil tunneled a passageway through | Elba Division. the piled-up snow about the cabin's To Minnie Mae Leddon: You will take notice that John For a month Gilbert Hynes and Leddon has filed bill of complain ward with a white sheet seeking to his wife lived in their wilderness against you in this Court, you are surrender to the ship, which then turned its fire to a force of Axis tanks and routed them, it was Serena adapted herself nobly to this ir, the time allowed by law or its new existence, despite her obvious ir the time allowed by law or its The action by the warship won a growing appreciation of the simple allegations will be taken as co

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GETS PROMOTION

The people of Clark Hill Mr. and Mrs. George John-community are proud to







ELBA, ALABAMA

Franchised Bottler: Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co., Luverne, Ala.





to contemplate how much we owe the perennial character of our customers. With gratitude and pride we scan the list. Some of these customers have been with us for more than a quarter of a century.

To these old customers, to new ones, and to potential ones every member of this organization now joins in wishing "Merry

Bonneau-Jeter Hardware Company Bonneau-Jeter Funeral Home

you all to myself." He looked up at her, startled. And derground newspaper, Nowe Dro-gi, that all Jewish American citipreciate your good will. It has been and Serena went on: "Silly. I knew about that settlement all the time. zens in Krakow, Poland, have will continue to be our most treasured asset. We shall always be grateful soul. Christ has come. He is with R. C. BRYAN, EDITOR-PUBLISHER I-I discovered it the day after we been shot by the German ges-tapo. There was no indication The IDEAL DRESS SHOP us now by faith. He will come again to reign. The Child of Bethlehem's Mrs. Rossie Jackson, MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU! But her arms were about his neck how many were in Krakow. manger is our Great Saviour and and warm lips were crushing against and Family. Mrs. Georgia Mathis, Prop. - Elba, Ala. Glorious King. Rejoice in Him! Mortgages and Rent Notes for 

until January 15.

expire January 22.

tephenson's Cafe.

or the holidays.

days with relatives.

a ton per acre will pay.

Werra

Christmas

**ELBA HATCHERY** 

SHOES: No. 18 Stamp



LIMES HAVE CHANGED but Christmas remains unchangedthe year's outstanding holiday in the timeless cycle of love and good fellowship. In the same old familiar way it gives us pleasure to wish for you in this season of 1943 the most in Christmas cheer and enjoyment.

ALABAMA WATER SERVICE CO.



modes of transportation in his bag of tricks, but our wish is that his 1943 pack include a great big package of old-time Christmas cheer, addressed to you, dear friend-to

WHITMAN DRUG COMPANY



TATHAT matter if VV Santa comes in a jeep, just so it's Santa Claus? And it IS Santa Claus! And this IS Christmas. May the 1943 season be an exceptionally happy one for you and your family.

THE ELBA THEATRE



TO EACH AND ALL

May your Christmas of 1943 approach in joyousness the carefree Christmases of early years when you dreamed of the coming of St. Nicholas.

SMITH BROTHERS

### THE ELBA THEATRI

expire January 20. MEATS, FATS: Brown

THURSDAY-LAST DAY "SILVER QUEEN" George Brent, Priscilla Lane Admission 10c and 28c FRIDAY-Double Feature

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EDNESDAY & THURSDAY "SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE"



Mrs. Annie Waters and mmie Blue returned to Bessemer Tuesday after a visit with Mrs. Minnie Blue nd family.

Mr. C. B. McDowell left lay for Cairo, Ga., to a ept a position. His family vill move to the Georgia city early in the New Year make their home.

Stew Beef. Stephenson's

FOR CONGRESS

hereby announce my can dacy for the Democratic nomina tion for Representative in the ongress of the United States from the Third Congressional District of Alabama to fill the unexpired term f the late Honorable Henry B. Steagall, in the 78th Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary January 11, 1944, and February 8, 1944.

GEORGE W. ANDREWS (Paid pol. adv. by George W. Andrews Campaign Committee, Union Springs, Ala.

RATION CALENDAR PROCESSED FOODS:—Green D, E and F (Book 4)

Stamps L, M, N, P and Q, (Book 3) expire January 1 SUGAR: No. 29 Stamp (Book 4) good for 5 pounds

(Book 1) valid indefinitely. Plane Stamp No. 1 (Book GASOLINE: A-9 Coupons

Miss Olive Ray Kendrick, has arrived from Judson College to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Kendrick. Miss Nettye Flournoy who junk yard; in long yellow en-eaches at Thomaston, has velope; finder please notify

needed minerals in Alaba-maa soils, says W. W. Cot-FOR SALE: Peanut pick ney, assistant extension er, and hay baler with new ney, assistant extension agronomist, A. P. I., in advising that a ton or more of ground limestone be applied to all crop land and pastures except on the lime soils of the Black Belt and a few specialized crops. On the heavier soils more than a ton pay agree with new tires. See William Wise, Elba, Rt. 1. d16-23-pd. PERMANENT WAVE-

Hamburgers, nice and 59c! Do your own Perma uicy. Stephenson's Cafe. Air pillows at least once shampoo. Easy to do, absother filling soft and fluffy; thousands including Fay Remove pillowcases and McKenzie, glamorous movie place pillows on chairs be-Company.

CONGRESS o the People of the Third Con-

We've been thinking, folks, that you've been very good to us during 1943, and right now is the most appropriate time to thank you. So thanks, everybody, and avery happy Christmas!

> Phenix City, Ala. (Paid Political Adv. by Roy

AS one hands down a good name, Christmas each A year hands down its traditions, and all are good. It has been a tradition here to regard the good will of our customers as our most precious asset. In this holiday season of 1943 we extend to you, not as a customer alone, but as a friend, our very best wishes for a . . . Merry Christmas.

Sawyer Candy Company

### Classified Advertising

If you want to buy, sell, property, try an adv. in this

The Clipper's phone is No. 29. FOR SALE-Two Mode A Fords; one Long Wheel Base truck with cab and body. Lamar Rainer, Elba Fish served every day. Alabama.

WANTED TO BUY-Miss Jeanne Brunson, who Clean used rags; will pay ttends Judson College, is 10c per pound. See Price the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Brunson, Machine Shop.

See Price Ringo at Dorsey Brothers. Machine Shop.

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LOST-Papers and certif Miss Olive Ray Kendrick, icate of War Necessity, and arrived to spend the holi- me as I need them; any expense will be gladly paid Willie Stephens, Glenwood Lime is one of the most Ala., Rt. 1.

> nent with Charm-Kurl Kit thousands including Fay star. Money refunded if no satisfied. Whitman Drug

> > Regular dinners, Stephen

FOR SALE- Scholarshi o Massey - Draughon Busi less College; good for Special Secretarial Course, or Business Manager's Course f interested see or write R . Bryan, Elba Clipper, Elba. ANNOUNCEMENT FOR

gressional District of Ala-

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ROY L. SMITH. nith, Phenix City, Alabama.)



\* From Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strand the age-old celebration of Christmas is in progress. In this season of universal good will we welcome the opportunity to thank you for that measure of confidence you have shown in us during 1943 and other years. We will do our utmost to continue to deserve it.

ELBA OIL COMPANY MORROW GIN COMPANY



Yuletide draws people closer together, helps us all towards quiet friendliness and group enjoyment of days like

A most proper time for us to express our sincere appreciation for your friendship, and to wish for you an abundance of Christmas joy.

VAUGHAN & COMPANY



## Season's Greetings...

If we have our way about it St. Nicholas is going to make an extra long stop at your home. No one needs to point out to us what your loyalty has meant to us during 1943. All we can say is Thank you, and Merry Christmas.

WHITMAN GIN COMPANY Elba and Damascus



THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS, dominating the world stage, once more has incredibly rolled aside the clouds of war, There is still beauty in common things, still good in the world, and we are all graveful for the glowing interval of Yuletide. As for ourselves, we are also grateful for your loyalty to us during 1943, and extend

VAUGHAN HDW. & FURN. COMPANY

the season's best wishes to all.



# THE ELBA CLIPPE



ELBA, ALABAMA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1943

MEET IN ENTERPRISE

MR. MATHIS DIES

MR. CHARLES S. LEE COUNTY FHA HOLDS DIED LAST THURSDAY

Mr. Charles Stephen Lee, On Thursday afternoo prominent Elba citizen and December 16, the officers member of one of Coffee's and advisor of the Enterprise pioneer families, died last Chapter of Future Home Thursday night at Gibson's makers of Alabama, enter hospital in Enterprise following several days illness.

Mr. Lee, who would have officers and the County

been eighty years of age on Council's officers. The pres-December 31, was born in Elba and had spent all his sided over the short business life in and near the city. session. Sara Frances Hat-Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ida Lee; seven daughters: Mrs. O. A. Ellis, Robertsdale, Ala., Mrs. J. G. gram was rendered. Dainty Clark, Elba, Mrs. Arthur Joe refreshments were served. Grant, Montgomery, Mrs. The next meeting will be John Sanders, Jr., Dothan, held in Kinston in Februay.

Mrs. Rena Sikes, Montgomery, Mrs. Hobbie Helms, Brundidge, and Mrs. J. A. Carnley, Jr., Elba; four sons, Clarence Lee, Enterprise, Friends of Mr. Gordon Willie Ben Lee, Mobile, Mathis, of Elba, deeply sym-Charlie Pete Lee, Montgom-pathize with him in the loss ry, and Stephen D. Lee, Mia-of his father, Mr. P. G. mi; two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Mathis, which occurred at Ham, Elba, and Mrs. Annie his home in Andalusia early King, Andalusia; a brother, Sunday morning. Eddie B. Lee, Elba; 20 grand Mr. Mathis, 76 years of

children and seven great age formerly resided here and had many friends in the Funeral services were county. Funeral services held at the Elba Baptist were held Monday after-Church Saturday afternoon noon in Andalusia. with Rev. O. M. Fox and Surviving are his wife, Minister J. C. Dixon offi-ciating. Interment followed Andalusia; one son, Gordon in Evergreen cemetery. Active pallbearers were the following grand sons: Char-Andalusia, Mrs. Robert H. lie Ben Ellis, Alpheus Lee Williams and Mrs. Nita Ellis, Edwin Ellis, Warren Mathis Brewer, both of Ellis, William Ellis, Robert Montgomery. Ellis, Charles Clark and Jerry Hause. Hayes Fun- Mrs. Sam King has re eral Home had charge of ar- ceived word that two of her

Mrs. T. E. Farmer and Fla., are back in the United children, who have been States. They have served in ELBA MUSIC LOVER'S spending several months in the Navy two and one-half Elba left Tuesday for Avon years each. They have been CLUB MET DEC. 16 Park, Fla., to join Mr. Far- in North Africa.

CITY CASH GROCERY,

SMITH BROTHERS

W. I. ENGLISH & SON

VEAL'S MARKET

ELBA CUT RATE

J. C. STEWART

Happy New Year

TATE can hardly wish you 366

but we can and do wish you 366

HAPPY days. We hope that the

DORSEY BROTHERS

ELBA, ALABAMA

SUNNY days during 1944.

ment, we, the undersigned retail merchants of the City of Elba, agree that on and after Monday, Jan-

uary 3rd, 1944, we will not make delivery from our stores of purchases from us.

club was dismissed, the hos-

Mrs. J. A. Carnley, Mrs. Nell Cooper, Mrs. Prude Crook, Lieut. and Mrs. Merrit

\*Another year, another page... time to renew old friendships and that resolution which we make each year—to serve our customers still better than the year before . . . .

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS TO EVERYBODY HAVE A GOOD TIME AND DROP IN TO SEE US REMEMBER, YOU ARE ALWAYS VERY WELCOME HERE



### THE ELBA CLIPPER

Shineth in Darkness by Miss Mabel Brunson. Piano Duet: Overture from The Barber of Seville—Mrs.

Carnley.

Talk: The Light That of arrangements. GRIMES—PRICE

A. E. Bradley and Miss Martha Edmondson.

Piano Solo: Sonata No.

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Pred Price. The wedding Patrons and pupils of the Rocky Head colored school GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY!

Rowe during the holidays. Beethoven,-Miss Mary took place in the early even-enjoyed a nice Christmas

and their guests. After the ment in California. tesses served a delicious Mr. and Mrs. Forrest P. Windham.

Mrs. A. C. Dunaway. Mrs. Pope, of Panama City, Fla., J. C. Dixon, Mrs. T. D. Kenwere guests of Mrs. J. J. dorf and sons spent Christdrick, Mrs. J. C. Fleming, Farris last Wednesday. Mrs. Billie Mullins, Mrs. H.
J. Markland. The following were guests of the club: Miss Martha Edmondson, Miss Nell English, Mrs. R. M. Ingram, Mrs. M. A. Owen, Mrs. W. B. Paul and family.

Mrs. W. R. Crook, Mrs. J.
W. Kendrick, Miss Mary Will Kendrick, Miss Olive Ray Kendrick and Mrs. Dock Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Frazer.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Farris and children, Margaret and Julian, of Montgomery, were guests of Mrs. J. J.
Farris and family during the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Farris and children, of Brewton, visited other Elba relatives the first Mrs. Billie Mullins, Mrs. H.

Violin Solo: Medley of education in Elba. The bride school. Christmas Airs—Mrs. J. A. later attended Troy State Teachers College and now

their home in Birmingham after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. E. Bradley, Mrs. W. C. Braswell, Miss Mabel Brunson, Well, Miss Mabel Brunson, Mrs. Mrs. E. Brunson, Mrs. Mrs. E. Brunson, Mrs. Mrs. E. D. Wooten and other Elba relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis and children, of Columbus, Lieut. Carl Folsom, of Mobile, and Fred Folsom, of Montgomery, spent Christmas in Elba, guests of Mrs.

MRS. REBECCA SMART
DIED LAST WEDNESDAY

PATIENTS IN RUCKER
Honor Society, accompanist of the college glee club, of the college glee club, FHA Reporter.

The Elba Music Lover's Mrs. Hanna Anna Rebecca Nine hundred soldiers, member of the college choir, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hanleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was president of the E. L.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix H.

Charlie Hanleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was acleft of Rev. and Mrs. Powers Music Club, was president of the E. L.

Mrs. Hanha Anna Rebecta

Mrs. Hanha Anna Rebecta learn that they are improv- holidays with Mr. and Mrs. D. Kendrick serving as co- on December 23, 1943. Old the Red Cross.

NOTICE!

No account of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated was a many or the undersigned rated market as a many of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated market as a many of the undersigned rated market as a many of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated market as a many of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated market as a many of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated market as a many of the shortage of labor and equipment was the undersigned rated market throughout the Red Cross.

Schools and individuals shound city of the Red Cross.

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Miss Brunson is majoring in piano and French. She attended Elba High School where she was a member of the national Beta Club.

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Mrs. U. C. Braswell, club presided over a short business session, Miss Massers Charlie, Jule, Joe, Josh, Jeet and Jim Smart, and many other relatives.

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Miss English is a member of the Douglas Aircraft Co., in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Cit Mabel Brunson, program chairman, led an interesting program, the subject being Christmas music.

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Roll call: Your favorite adjoining cemetery. Hayes tertainment was provided by Club. Here she was also a relatives in Elba for the Scholarship student.

The description of the Holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grimes COLORED SCHOOL Will Kendrick.

Talk: The Spirit of Christmas in Music—Mrs. Billie ing, December 24, at the tree party Tuesday night of last week when Mrs. J. T. with Minister J. C. Dixon Williams furnished candy, officiating, in the presence fruit and presents for the Vocal Trio: Here A Torch, of the families, relatives and school pupils. They all wish to thank Mrs. Williams for C. Braswell, Mrs. T. D. Ken- Both the bride and groom her gifts. Gladys Lane drick, Mrs. H. J. Markland. received their high school Rhodes is teacher of the

Cpl.-Wm. G. Johnson, o The program was concluded with the singing of Csristmas carols by the club present has Army assignhis wife and little son in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.

> Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ellis mas in Elba, guests of Mrs. . M. Folsom.

mas in Lafayette, guests o Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Frazer.

ited Mrs. J. J. Farris and children, of Brewton, visited other Elba relatives the first Mrs. W. H. Coston during

TWO ELBA GIRLS TO BE MRS. LINDSEY DIED AT LISTED IN WHO'S WHO HOME THURSDAY NITE

Miss Eugenia Claire Brun-on, daughter of Mr. and of Elba's most highly es-Mrs. John F. Brunson, who teemed residents, died at will receeive her A. B. de- her home here last Thursgree from Judson College, day evening, following a Marion, in May, and Miss long illness of heart trouble. Nell English, daughter of Countless friends were deep-

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. English, ly grieved at news of her who will receive her B. S. degree from George Peabody She was 73 years of age College, Nashville, in June and was born and reared in are among those students Coffee. She was the widow who will be listed in the of the late Jesse Lindsey. 1943-44 Issue of Who's Who Surviving are one son, Among Students in Ameri-can Universities and Col-brothers, Messers Mal, Bolleges. The book will be re-leased in April.

This book is published

Annie Prescott, Mrs. Dave through the cooperation of Foley, Mrs. Vie Taylor,

over 600 American univer- Mrs. Sweet Benton. sities and colleges. It is the Funeral services were cononly means of national recognition for graduates which Bethany Primitive Baptist is devoid of politics, fees, Church Sunday afternoon, and dues. Several students with burial in the cemetery from accredited colleges are at Danley's Cross, Roads. selected each year by an un-prejudiced committee for Frank Prescott, Alfred Seyneir biographies to appear more, Jim Whitman, Bob in "Who's Who Among stu-dents In American Colleges and Universities." These Funeral Home had charge of books are placed in the arrangements.

anies wso annually recruit ELBA FFA AND FHA itstanding students for HAVE JOINT SOCIAL

The purpose of "Who's The Elba Chapters of FFA Who" is to serve as an in- and FHA met jointly at the entive for students to get Vocational Building Thurse most out of their college day evening, December 16, careers; as a means of com- for an evening of merriment. pensation to students for The group sang Christmas what they have already carols and a number of done; as a recommendation games were played. to the business world; and Everyone enjoyed roasting as a standard of measure- weiners around the fire back of the building. The Miss Brunson is editor of groups reassembled around

her college newspaper, the large and beautiful member of the Jane Jewett Christmas tree where pres-

honor student throughout ber 17 a the University hos-

entertainers, including a group of professionals.

Miss English graduated from Elba High School in the class 1940 and during Montgomery, and Mr. and Mr. and Mr. Miss Elizabeth Rowe, of Montgomery, and Mr. and Mr. and Mr. Miss Elizabeth Rowe, of Montgomery, and Mr. and Mr. and Mr. Miss Elizabeth Rowe, of Mrs. Mrs. Miss Elizabeth Rowe, Mrs. Miss Elizabeth Rowe, Mrs. Miss Elizabeth R NICE CHRISTMAS FOR her high school career was COLORED SCHOOL

her high school career was Mrs. Milton O'Neal and son, a member of the national Milton, Jr., of Andalusia, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowe and Miss Zadie



Paul Revere was born on New Year's Day, 1735. We hail that day! And just as he returned to his goldsmith's work long after his historic ride, so will we return to the normal occupations of the ways of peace. That day we also hail, looking forward to it with renewed hope. On this Eve of New Year, 1944, we salute all of our friends. Happy New

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